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 OXIDATION OF SULFUR COMPOUNDS TO  
 ELEMENTAL SULFUR  
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AMENDMENT

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 Commissioner for Patents  
 Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated 7/30/02, please  
 amend the above-identified patent application as follows. A  
 marked-up version of the amendments is enclosed herewith for the  
 Examiner's convenience.

In the Specification

Please amend the specification as follows:

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